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December 16, 1996

Paul Lamoreaux Alpine Gems & Minerals P. O. Box 610 Parowan, Utah 84761

Re:

Request for Annual Report for the Year 1996

Dear Mr. Lamoreaux:

The enclosed annual report form(s) for the mine(s) referenced below should be completed and returned to this office by January 31, 1997.

Mine No.

Mine Name

S/025/015 S/025/016 Big Dry Valley Butler Valley Quarries

These reports are required by Rule R647-3-116 of the Division's Amended and New Rules, Minerals Reclamation Program, effective December 1, 1988. Annual reports are required regardless of annual mine activity, unless you have received a written waiver or formal release from continued reclamation obligations from the Division. Thank you for your cooperation and prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg Permit Supervisor

Minerals Reclamation Program

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